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## REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Attn: APPLICATION PROCESSING DIVISION

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Dear Sir:

We have received a Filing Receipt for the above-identified patent application. However, the Filing Receipt is incorrect because the title of the invention reflected on the receipt is incomplete. The title shown on the receipt is "ADAPTIVE GAIN **CONTROL**" wherein the complete title should be "Audio Apparatus of Negative Driving with Adaptive Gain Control". Enclosed is a photocopy of the Corrected Filing Receipt which indicates the requested corrections.

It is believed this is a Patent Office error, and accordingly, no fee is enclosed. However if a fee should be required, please charge it to Deposit Account No. 16-1805 of the undersigned attorney's firm. A copy of this Request is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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## SECOND REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Attn: APPLICATION PROCESSING DIVISION Customer Correction Branch Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In addition to our first request for a corrected filing receipt regarding the title of the invention which was filed March 7, 2000, we are also requesting that additional correction be made pertaining to the priority document. The filing receipt failed to acknowledge Japanese Priority document no. 10-371396 filed on December 25, 1998 and therefore, we request that the same be reflected on the filing receipt. Enclosed is a photocopy of the Corrected Filing Receipt which indicates the requested correction.

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